# own Happy New Year From The Herald Staff topics

Hondo City Council, meetregular session, increased speed to 45 miles per hour the city limits. The old limit was set at 30 miles our. In an effort to beautify emetery, the old fence has torn down. The Council also Orby Swatzell, chief of to give warning tickets to ns running the newly erectop signs around town.

edina Hospital reports they delivered 31 babies since the of December. That report s of Monday, with seven left in December.

to Medina County fficials, there were no traffatalities during the Christmas vs. But, New Years Day to come so drive slow.

ty-five persons have ap-Justice of the George Kimmey in the en days, paying in a total counting court costs. nd Castroville last week the speeding cases were Hondo and half were sent Bader at Castroville.

Salvation Army will again ndo Jan. 15. Anyone wantgive discarded material to rs, may call the Chamommerce and leave their The Salvation Army truck all and pick up the items. number of the Chamffice is HA 6-2015.

Wade, social security ntative from San Antonio, in Hondo Jan, 8. His ofwill be in the District Courtand will open at 9 a.m. as also scheduled visits for 15, 22 and 29.

interesting visitor happened way Wednesday - John La-36, a native of Pennsylcame through town riding ycle. He said he started California and ended up in msylvania, only to find he had ma trouble. He is now headed alifornia again. Next week's Herald will carry a story ictures of LaBarte, who says is a prospector, professional ener, forest fire fighter, or other thing he may run

Hondo Owls started basworkouts Monday, followir final football game of ar with Stinnett at Sweetlast Saturday night.

ames, line coach at Texas will be the main students when the Hondo Lions plays host to the Owls next day night at the high school eria. The banquet, which is ag affair, will begin at 7:30 ship. according to Dr. J. H. Jenprogram chairman. Dr. ngs said the Owls received telegrams before their with Stinnett last Saturday.

## tores Here Vill Close.

Dec. 31 and Jan. 1 will be according to the Retail Mercahnts Com-The days fall con and Tuesday of next

es will be on regular hedule after Tuesday. All s will open Wednesday,

ndicated, a news account ach person listed is printed here in this issue of the

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# Stinnett Rolls Past Hondo Owls 1956 Review Shows County Progress

## Owls, Natalia Fire Two Of Biggest Items

The year 1956 is coming to a junderway during Janary close and many persons have Two Hondo men became U. S. just about forgotten the many citizens during the month of news happenings around Medina January. They were John Kalino-

January

to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fields, for freedom in the Polish Army Hondo, and was born at 2:39 a.m. Jan. 1 in the Castroville Hospital.

vertised and put up for sale, all at the time Hitler's armies overtracts of land forfeited by veter- ran Poland in 1939. ans, eight of which were in Medina County. The tracts were to be sold to the highest bidders. A. H. Rothe, F. D. Garrison and to veteran purchasers continuously refusing to make the semimonthly installment payments, The committee thought that conand in every case, abandoning the land.

Marriages and births were reported up for the year 1955, while deaths and divorces had dropped.

The Hondo National Bank announced an increase in capital stock from \$150,000 to \$200,000. School census for the Hondo Independent School District was

#### Rusty Russell Will Speak At Services

will be guest speaker at the 7:30 the county. p.m. service at the First Methodist Church, Hondo, this Sunday. The service will honor members of the Hondo State finalist Class as local manager. Directors of the A football team, together with the band, cheerleaders, drum majorettes, and adult leaders of the

Russell will be introduced by Charles Tilley, member of the Delony, N. P. Pope and Ralp! Owl team and president of the Senior Methodist Youth Fellow-

Coach Russell, now head coach at The Victoria College, Victoria. is one of the best known men in Texas Football. Several years ago he was coach of the amazing 'Mighty Mites' of Masonic Home in Fort Worth; following this, he coached the always strong Highland Park team of Dallas, and then served several years a Southern Methodist University, latter year as head coach.

Among players he coached while at SMU were such stars as Doak Walker, Gil Johnson and Kyle Rote. The public is invited to the

#### THE WEATHER

	Hi	Lo.	Rai
December 20	59	39	0.1
December 21	68	42	0.0
December 22	70	49	0.1
December 23	76	47	0.0
December 24	69	35	0.0
December 25	64	30	0.0
December 26	66	32	0.0
December 27	69	31	0.0

U. S. Weather Observer.

County. So, the following is a re- wski, owner of the Armstrong Hotel, and Edward Wojko, a first The first baby of 1956 was born ski was a Polish soldier fighting cook at Hondo Air Base, Kalinowwhen taken prisioner by the Germans in 1939. During the war, The Veteran's Land Board ad- Wojko was captured at Limburg

> O. L. Moss had attended a meeting of the Edwards Underground Water Conservation Committee. struction of flood prevention and ground water recharge structures in the lower Edwards Basin and adjacent areas, would help keep the basin filled.

Mrs. Marjory Whitehead Schott of Castroville, was hired as Couny Health Nurse.

The first rainfall of 1956 fell in January. Medina County received .70 of an inch to 1.5 inches

February

About the biggest news during February, 1956, was the Medina County Junior Fat Stock Show The show began Feb. 6, being held in Hondo. The show move: Coach J. N. (Rusty) Russell each year to a different part o

The Retail Merchants Associa tion was organized during Janu ary of 1956, with S. W. T. Lanhan new organization were Bill Fly president; Emmett Nester, vic president; Buster Rath, secre tary-treasurer; and W. T. Crow fenry Flory, W. T. Hardy, J. F. DeMontel.

Show calves averaged \$31.18 with 51 cents a pound top for calves. Top price went Donnie Neuman, who go 51 cents per pound for hi 917 pound calf, paid by Valdina Farms. The grand champion and eserve champion were not so! at the Medina County Show.

Hondo's Summer Re creation program was beginning to take shape as fund raising began. Twenty six interested adults met or an organizational meeting, liscussing plans for the project. The voters in the Natalia Inlependent School District exerised their right at the polling ace and expressed by ballot heir opinion regarding consolidaion of the Natalia and Devine schools. In what was believed to be the greatest number of votes ever cast in Natalia on any ques tion, the people said no. The vote was 124 for, 440 against.

All Hondo telephone users received new telephone numbers during February.

March

Texas Aviation Industries dominated March news happenings Total 0.29 First, John Cape resigned his Reportd by Walter H. Knorr, position as president of TAI and (See REVIEW, Page 5)



HE MILTON BATOT HOME took firs } colored lights and cedar branches, an place in the Chamber of Commerce nome decorating contest. The display of which only a part is shown, included a picture window made into a fairyland including a mill with a water wheel, a huge NOEL sign made from

organist at the corner of the house with tape recorded music in the background, and a red carpet leading from their lighted front gate up the sidewalk to the ornamented false front door.

-Staff Photo

onservation News

# **Conservation Rise**

crease for 1957 in the Medina over production. legume. The local ASC office will seed.

pay 80 per cent of the cost of Don't forget your local Soil

Application of conservation his land and build it for future a soil bank participant or not.

Valley Soil Conservation Dis-rict. One of the reasons for this be the greatest handicap to the The availability of seed may ill be the Soil Bank program. program. Due to drought condi-Inder this program, farmers and tions in the local area in the past ranchers will be able to retire everal years, seed production ultivated acres from production has been very low. Therefore, and draw \$8 per acre for a period those of you planning to particiof from 3 to 5 years, depending pate in the Soil bank should begin on how long the farmer wishes for to look for seed now. This prohis land to stay in the soil bank. gram is nation-wide, so people He will be required to seed this are going to be coming from far acreage to a perennial grass or and near looking for all types of

seeding this acreage to a grass Conservation District. They stand or legume. This program will do ready at all time to give you the several jobs at one time. It will technical help you need on your give the farmer an income from farm or ranch whether you are

practices should show a great in- years, plus helping cut down on This service is free to you, so why not call on one of the local technicians to pay a visit to your farm or ranch. Just remember none of us are aware of all our problems until we have made a complete survey of our farm. Your local Soil Conservation of through March 15, 1957. fice in Hondo has five men ready to serve you. However, there are Emergency Roughage Program

date with you.

## Owls Finish Season As Second Best Team

The Hondo Owls came out on the short end of a 35 to 13 score the Owls the still proud distincto an impressive Stinnett eleven tion of being the second best Class in the Class A State Finals last Saturday night in Sweetwater.

Oil News

## Wholesale the boome. Staking On Wells

the George E. Rall land near pass from Hartman to Neuman Noonan has been announced by got to the Owl 37. Billy Potsa-Vogler and Hager Enterprises of San Antonio.

All are to be 1.000-foot test efforts in the Chicon Lake field. Location is two miles S. E. Noonan on a 44.36 acre lease. The wells will not be developed

immediately. All were acquired on a farm-out from Harry W.

Also located in the Chicon Lake field is a 420-foot injection well 7 to 0.

**Drilling Progress** tests on one well in the Taylor The Owls took the kick-off and Ina field and Flato and Bates re- set up on the 25. A 17 yard pass port four. Twenty-two wells on the to Neuman was the only gain and W B Melton land due for per- Neuman finally had to foration and fracturing, accord- punt had to be rushed and it slid ing to a report from L. M. Lock- off Billy's foot, going only 7 hart. All are in the Taylor-Ina yards. field. No final reports have been filed on these wells for some time.

### Feed Program Renewed In County

Walter T. McKay, State Director, Farmers Home Administration, today advised Morris E. Albers, County Supervisor, of the extension of the Emergency Feed Grain Program in Bexar, Medina, Frio and LaSalle Counties. Under this extension, farmers

and ranchers may now file applications through Feb. 15, 1957, for a supply of feed grain necessary to carry their basic livestock McKay also advised that the

approximately 2,000 land owners will be extended, however, there in the district so, if we haven't will be a delay in accepting apbeen able to contact you, don't plications for roughages until feel bad about it. Just come by sometime early in January since the office and remind us and we financial aspects of the program shall be glad to make a future are being worked out in Washing-

27 game winning streak and gave A team in the state . . the highest rating of any Owl football club. Stinnett Starts Fast

The Owls lost the flip for the 12th or 13th time in 15 calls this year and this time it only marked the beginning of bad things to

The Rattlers returned the kickoff 20 yards to their 46 from where they started on a 56 yard TD drive in 11 running plays. Hicks went over from the 4 after his fumble had luckily bounced in his hands as he made his move for the score. An 11 yarder was the longest run in this drive.

The Owls then took the kick-off and started moving the ball in short but sure gains. A 12 yard vich, who played a game to be proud of, got a key first down at midfield. Billy was apparently stopped but fought and slid off a mass of would-be tacklers to get 4 yards. The Owls kept plugging but had to give up possession on the 19, just one yard shy of a first down.

These two series consumed the entire first quarter. The score,

announced by Winthrop Corp. The Boom! Another TD.
well is on the Henry Rackley land After the fine and hard Owl five miles north of Natalia. It drive ran out on the 19, the Ratused to be a propane injection tlers took just two plays to get well and not for producing oil. their second score. The first play got 34 yards to the Owl 47. Bab Oil Co. reports testing on then boom, Keadle sprinted 47 pump or waiting on potential yards to run the score 14 to 0.

Stinnett took over on the Owl

49 but after three plays, William Reus covered a fumble on the Owl 26. The Owls started to move mainly on a 17 ward pass to Potsavich to the 43 and a 10 yard aerial to Neuman. Then with a third down and 4 situation on the Rattler 38, Hartman lofted a long toss for a pay-off effort that was nearly successful but instead was intercepted on the 10.

Then it happened again. QB Dawson found his mates making room and he outran the pack for a 90 yard jaunt. The Owls had been moving the ball fine in good workmanship fashion and on three occasions Stinnett simply busted things open with long scoring runs.

The Owls could not move after the kick-off and Neuman punted 24 yards to the 30 but Stinnett ran the punt back to the Owl 46. The Rattlers were on the move again and were on the 18 yard line when the half ended. The score 21 to 0.

Owls Control Ball The Owls came back for the second half determined to master (See OWLS, Page 8)

## **Batot Display Wins** In Christmas Contest Mrs. Milton Batot won first 31 inches tall and Mrs. Batot said

place for home Christmas deco- she made it herself. rating this year while Medina Electric Cooperative won first in display took second in the home the business houses division.

The contest is sponsored an-

a picture window transformed into a fairyland including a mill with a water wheel, which actual- Claus in the yard. ly turned and poured water. Other outside decorations included a NOEL sign, made from colored lights on cedar branches attached to the back yard fence, an organist at the corner of the nouse with a tape recorded musical background, and a red carpet leading from the lighted front gate up the sidewalk to the ornamented false front door.

A 26 pound candle burned the

first night at the front door, but

was ruined when Angel hair

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tondre's

division. It consisted of a group of three wise men, several stars nually by the Hondo Chamber of with lights in the background and wreath in the window. Mrs. Batot, who says this R. W. Speece home took third year's display is her last, had place with a huge decorated tree growing in the front yard, and a Merry Christmas sign with Santa

Medina Electric's display consisted of a large Angel, carved from a silver metallic substance, over looking a quotation from the Bible, A big MERRY CHRISTMAS in red appeared above and to the rear of the main

Second place in business houses went to the City of Hondo offices, while DeMontel's Appliance store took third on their crib scene. Ribbons were awarded the first, caught fire and Mrs. Batot tried second and third place winners in

to extinguish it with a towel - both divisions. she ruined the candle so orna-Mrs. Harrison Wilson, Mrs. Jess ments were substituted. All to- Duncan and Mrs. W. S. Garnett, gether, it took 430 lights for the all from Yancey, judged the dis-Batot's display. The candle was plays.

MEDINA ELECTRIC COPPERATIVE'S display above, took first place in the business houses division of the Hondo Chamber of Commerce Christmas decorating contest. The display reads,

'And the angel said, 'I bring you good tidings of great joy', Luke 2-19." A big MERRY CHRISTMAS hung above and to the rear of the angel scene.



LOUIS CHEERLEADERS for this year from left to right, top row, Helen Mann and Patsy Keller; front row,

§ Ida Louise Tschirhart. The girls led yells while the St. Louis Comets took their second consecutive Academic hes Hans and head cheerleader, League football championship.



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#### Anvil Herald, Hondo, Texas Settlement News Friday, Dec. 28, 1956

## **Quihi LYO Names 1957**

The Quihi LYO met for its regular meeting and Christmas party Dec. 12 at 7:30. There were 21 members present. The meeting was called to order by Howard Saathoff and Rev. Durkop opened it with a prayer.

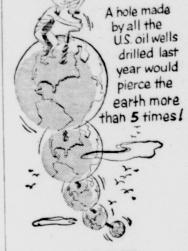
New officers were elected for the coming year. They are president, Kenneth Nietenhoefer; vicepresident, Shirley Lindeburg; secretary, Lonnie Schulte; treasurer, Henry Balzen; and reporter, Dolly Saathoff.

The Luther League will take on a needy family. Lonnie Schulte was appointed to go to the Chamber of Commerce and secure names of members of the family and their ages.

The topic was discussed by Rev. Durkop; afterwards the meeting was adjourned.

Refreshments, served by Lon-nie Schulte and Emabelle Saathoff, and the exchanging of gifts

## It's a fact that:



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## DON'T NEED IT' SELL IT THRU THE WANTADS

Mrs. Angeline Burger, Mrs. J. ily Wednesday evening D. Schweers were Hondo business Dinner guests of M& visitors Friday afternoon and cal- Biediger Christmas Day were Erwin Biediger and M&M Wilfred led on Henry Gross at the Me- M&M Elmer Biediger, Ad Biedidina Hospital. They also visited ger, Raymond Biediger, and with Mrs. Lina B. Fuos and called on Mrs. Edson Oefinger and children at Quihi.

Antonio, visited with M&M Walter Brucks at Upper Quihi Thurs- Haby day evening.

Mrs. Lina Fous spent the Christmas holidays with M&M J. D.

Miss Carmen Bayer arrived home Dec. 19, to spend Christmas with her family, M&M Rudolph Bayer. She will return to Texas Lutheran College Jan. 6.

M&M J. D. Schweers and Mrs. Angeline Burger attended the rosary service of Fred Jungman Sr. Friday evening at Castroville and visited with M&M E. A.

Mrs. August Tschirhart Sr. and Mrs. Ed Haby were dinner guests Sunday of M&M Wilfred Moeh-

Mrs. J. D. Schweers called on the Robert B. Brieten Jr. fam-

## **Bond Sales Short Of** County Goal

Frank X. Vance, Chairman of the U. S. Savings Bonds Committee for Medina County, advised today that citizens of the county had purchased a toal of \$196,320 Series "E and H" Savings Bonds ily. through November 1956. T h e County's goal for the year is \$306,000. Bonds purchased thus far represent \$64.2 per cent of

Vance also had some timely advice for the lucky folks who received money for Christmas this year. "There is a wonderful way to spend Christmas Cash to make it worth much more. Buy United States Savings Bonds and watch them grow."

Vance said all of us could help ourselves, our families, our community and our country by resolving to use a systematic savings plan. A plan that works automatically and pays off with guaranteed results. The Government has such a plan, the Payroll Savings plan for the purchase of Series 'E' United States Savings Bonds.

"The way to put this New Year's Resolution into operation," he said, "is to sign up for the Payroll Saings plan in your payroll office."

visitors during the day were M&M Raymond Moehring and family of M&M A. K. Yarbrough of San Antonio, Mrs. August Tschirhart Sr., M&M J. W. Weber of Verdina and M&M Allen

> M&M J. D. Schweers visited Sunday afternoon with M&M Walter Brucks at Upper Quihi.

M&M Louis Mehr spent Christmas Day with M&M Sterley Jagge and daughter.

Mark and Janet Reger spent several days in San Antonio with their mother, Mrs. Myra

M&M Hugo Naegelin and Fran-

## BIRY NEWS

By Mrs. Adolph Hutzler

(Delayed) M&M Otto Burrell and son, Elmer, attended the funeral of Mrs. Josie Wolff in Hondo last week. She was a niece of Mrs. Burrell. Mrs. T. Brownlee, Mrs. Alice Littleton and Miss Theresa Kel-

ler were in San Antonio one day last week shopping. Miss Anita Hutzler was in Jourdanton Saturday, where she played basketball in a tournament Devine lost to Charlotte by one

point, 33-34. Miss Ella Bader visited M&M Amos Hitzfelder and daughters a few days last week.

M&M Adolph Hutzler visited M&M Ed Bader and Ella Mon-

day evening.

M&M Amos Hitzfelder and daughters visited Wednesday evening with the Ed Bader fam-



#### By Mrs. R. H. Bayer

ces, Ad and Raymond Biediger Dinner guests of M&M Erwin spent Christmas Eve with M&M

> M&M Harvey Haby and M&M Ed Haby visited M&M Allen Haby

M&M Allen Haby spent Sunday

with Wesley Hutzler.

This proves little girls and boys are not always greedy. Diane Oefinger, daughter of M&M Edson Oefinger of Upper Quihi, had the mumps several weeks ago. She shared them a week later with brothers Stevie and Clyde. They took their turn and gave them to mom and dad for Christmas.

Well we didn't get the much needed rain nor a white Christmas as so many wished for but here's hoping we get it in the New Year.

Mrs. Philip Haby visited with M&M Elmer Biediger, Adolph and Raymond Biediger Wednesday and Mrs. William Wengenroth

visited there Friday.

M&M Elmer Biediger and Sheila, Adolph and Raymond visited M&M Philip Haby Sunday.

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# December 27, 28 and 29

#### DON'T FORGET THE MEDINA COUNTY Junior Fat Stock Show

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Rotel Blackeye Peas with Snaps, No. 300 size	12c
Del Monte Tomato Juice, 46-oz. can	29c
Welch Grape Juice, 24-oz. bottle	37c
Miracle Whip Salad Dressing, quart	59c
Niagara Starch, economy size	35c
Del Monte Whole Beets, jar	22c
Post Sugar Krinkles, 8½-oz. box	23c
Post Sugar Krisp, 9½-oz. box	
Hunt Tomatoes, solid pack, 303 can	17c
Old South Grapefruit Juice, 46-oz. can	
Scotties Facial Tissue, 400 count	27c
Kimbell's Waffle Syrup	39c
Dry Blackeye Peas, 1 lb.	13c
Hormel Chili with Beans, 11/2-lb. can	45c
Prince Old Pal Dog Food	r 15c
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Hormel	Bologna			lb.	33c

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#### Anvil Herald, Hondo, Texas Friday, Dec. 28, 1956 Victory Lodge Holds Justice Court Meet; Name Officers Lupe Quirez, speeding, fined J. M. Sollock, overgross weight,

Lodge No. 161 was held Tuesday night, Dec. 11, with 82 members Lupe Quirez, failing to appear, and three visitors present.

At 7:30 before the business in the meeting hall. Ladies who R. M. Nendez, passing in no meeting, the hostesses served a had graciously volunteered to meal of roast turkey, dressing, serve on this committee were and the traditional trimmings. Y. M. Aguellar, overgross Hostesses were Sisters Rosa Graff, Rosa Haass, Bernice Hermes, Mary Ann Hermes, Lillie Willard B. Davenport, speeding, Heyen, Mary Heyen, Evelyn Highsmith, Catherine Highsmith, J. L. Jackson, speeding, fined Iona Hitzfelder and Annie Kunz.

A short program by Junior of cards. members of the Lodge preceeded the business meeting. The main event of th meeting was the election of officers for 1957. The following were re-elected:

Leo E. Cardinas, speeding, fin-President, Ida Jagge, vicepresident, Alice Wiemers; record-Ed Leyba, disturbing the peace, ing secretary, Elleen Gooding; and treasurer, Olga Laake. Elva Krenmueller, whose one year term on the finance committee is expiring, was relected for a term of three years. Mr. Steinle an-Madge Mateck, speeding, fined nounced that the tentative date for installation of 1957 officers is Mary Jo Stephens, speeding, the fourth Sunday in January at the Hondo Herman Sons Hall with the D'Hanis Lodges as hosts. D. R. Shrum, speeding, fined

Members voted to make a dona-

## **NEW CAR** REGISTRATIONS

Adolph Zapata, Natalia, GMC 2

Sam W. Stroud, San Antonio, Nash four door.

J. Raymond Stewart, San Antonio, Chev. four door.

Edward C. Martin, Von Ormy, Chev. Sta. Wgn. Fred Pozos, San Antonio, Buick two door.

Sisters of Divine Providence, Castroville, Chev. Sta. Wgn. Walter B. Barnett, San Antonio, Buick two door. M. F. Klemcke, San Antonio,

Chev. Sta. Wgn. Floyd P. Patterson, Natalia, Ford Flat bed. Joe B. Harrison, Devine, Ford Club. Vic

Mrs. Hilmar J. Koch, D'Hanis, Chev. four door. W. Brauchle, Castroville, Chev. four door. John D. Carr, Crystal City,

Nash four door Sta. Wgn. B. C. McDonald, Natalia, Chev. Matilde Trevino, Hondo, Nash four door Sed.

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## Criminal Docket

Nicolas Rodriguez, DWI, fined \$100 plus three days in jail.

pass zone, fined \$5.

weight, fined \$50.

D. Laney, speeding,

J. R. Hartfuld, speeding, fined

Nicolas Trevino, drunk and dis-

J. E. Hallaman, speeding, fined

Evelyn Beckman, speeding, fin-

T. A. Spemer, speeding, fined

R. S. Barrientes, speeding, fin-

Ruben Carrea, no operators li-

Larry Lowery, speeding, fined

B. D. Culwell, speeding, fined

Consuila Alvorado, no operators

M. L. Harvey, speeding, fined

T. F. Rodriguez, defective head

Richard Wilham, passing in no

Arthur Mitchell, speeding, fined

Johnny Bermea, no operators

J. G. Owens, drunk in a public

Anthony Raffile, drunk in a

B. F. Neeley, no license memo,

Ray mond Warren, speeding,

Blas Palacios, failing to stop

Dario Quentuo, no operators li-

R. Pearson, failing to pass

turbing the peace, fined \$10.

George

fined \$15.

ed \$10.

\$15.

eense, fined \$10.

license, fined \$1.

on left, fined \$5.

license, fined \$5.

place, fined \$5.

fined \$10.

fined \$10.

cense, fined \$1.

pass zone, fined \$10.

public place, fined \$5.

after accident, fined \$1.

light, fined \$5.

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This report would not be com-

plete without some mention of

the lovely and original decorating

Sisters Lydia Schweers, Bertha

Grell, Olga Laake, Mary Emma

At the close of the business

meeting, gifts were exchanged,

and a large group of members remained to enjoy several games

Johnson and Grace Schmidt.

Mrs. Rico

Feted With

Monday Party

A party was given honoring

Miss Pauline Rico by her friends

Monday night, Dec. 10. She is

joining the Holy Ghost Sisters in

Red roses and chrysanthemums

Hostesses included Mesdames, Bertha Benitez, Matilde Valdillez

Angelita Rios, Rosa Gonzalez, Lupe Garcia, Bertha Barrientes,

Margarita Valdillez, Refugia

Hernandez, Inez Hernandez, Ma-

ria Hernandez, Torres sisters, Celia Alcaraz, Martha Domin-

guez, Marty Esther Dominguez Lita Rios, Margarita Hernandez,

Isabel Palacios, Francisca Her

Elvira Preciado, Erlinda Garcia, Ninfa Hernandez, Natalia

Mart i n e z, Salome Dominguez,

Oralia Arcos, Cleofas Oranday

Juanita Gallardo, Frank

Palacios, Concep c i o n Ytuarte,

camilla, Florinda Ytuarte

Dionicia Morales, Andrea Castil

lo, Juanita Gutierrez, Arnulfa

Garcia, Marina Sandoval, Irene

Bernal, Ursula Bernal and Juan-

ita R. Dominguez.

Luz Ytuarte, Manuel Es

nandez, Isabel Garcia,

were used in decorating. Coffee,

chocolate, cake, candy and cook-

San Antonio.

ies were served.

HONDO ICE CO.

## Salute TO THE To our many friends a New Year's toast . . . May you enjoy all the happiness and good fortune life can give.

# - MEATS -

Choice Round Steak, lb. 65c

FRESH PORK LOIN OR HAM Roast or Steak, lb. . . . 53c

Chuck Roast, b. . . . . 45c Seven Steak, b. . . . . 45c

Choice Vea Chops, b. . 49c

Sliced Bacon, Ib. .... 45c

# Specials, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 27, 28 and 29

Comstock Pie Apples, No. 303 . . 24c Libby Fruit Cocktail, No. 303 . . 24c Maryland Club Coffee, lb. . . \$1.09 Del Monte Pear Halves, No. 303 . 29c Del Monte Whole Kernel Corn, 303 17c DEL MONTE Kraut, No. 21/2 . . . 21c OCEAN SPRAY Cranberry Sauce,

DEL MONTE 3 for 25c Tomato Sauce, Prince Dog Food, reg. . . . 2 for 17c Tide, Giant . . . . . . . . . . . . . 73c Jergen's Bath Soap . . . . 3 for 25c Libby Vienna Sausage . . . . . 17c Arrow Pinto Beans, 4 lbs. . . . . 49c Imperial Pure Cane Sugar, 10 lbs. 97c Sunshine Marshmallows, 8 oz. . . 13c Sunshine Crackers, lb. . . . . 26c

## **VEGETABLES**

Extra Fancy Winsap Apples, lb 17c White Grapefruit, each . . . 10c California Lettuce, head . . 12c Cello Carrots, each 11c 2 for 21c Oranges, 5-lb. bag . . . . 35c

KIMBELL Grated Tuna . . . . 19c

PILLSBURY Hot Roll Mix 141/2-oz. 27c

## **FROZEN FOODS**

Booths Fish Sticks . . . . . 29i Libby Mixed Vegetables . . 17c Libby Cut Okra . . . . . . 18c Welch Grape Juice, 6 oz. 2 for 39c

AIR-CONDITIONED FOR COMFORT

303 22c

"WHERE QUALITY IS ECONOMY"

PHONE HA 6-2241



MR. AND MRS. FERDINAND Wurzbach, Rt. 4, San Antonio, were honored Dec. 16 with an open house at their home in observance of their golden wedding anniversary. The couple was married Dec. 15, 1906 at St. John's Lutheran Church, San Antonio. Mrs. Wurzback is the former Nettie Schuchart. They have one daughter, Mrs. Otto Ewart of San Antonio.

By Mary Soyars

Christmas is behind us; so we Mr. and Mrs. Geo Graff spent breath. TAI personnel returned relatives. to work on Wednesday of this Airman 3-C Allen E. Chelf is boro, Tenn. week after a nice four day rest, visiting his mother, Mrs. Evelyn We will also have a long week- Adamietz until January 8, end over New Years with Sun- which time he will leave for day, Monday and Tuesday. TAI Okinawa for a tour of duty.

personnel were presented with hams (14 to 16 lbs.) courtesy of Recently I came across a story the company. Personnel receiv- of a man who was convicted of ing these hams last year tell me sheep stealing. According to the they were really delicious and punishment prescribed in his such a wonderful gift. Everyone country he was branded on the seemed well pleased with this forehead with "ST" for (sheep very useful gift.

Mrs. Sam Burns of Paris, Tex- continuously rebuke him. For a as visited in Hondo the past week. while the man knew not which Mr. Burns accompanied her to way to turn, whether to kill him-Paris to spend Christmas. The self, to hide himself or run away Burns family plans to make their He thought and thought and finalhome in Hondo in the near future. ly decided to accept it, live with Mrs. A. W. Meadows spent

Christmas with his wife and daughter in Austin, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Park of Memphis, Tenn. visited their in their village wore the brand daughter and family, Mr. and of "ST" on his forehead. The old

Mrs. Gene Robinson and daugh- man thought and thought and ter over the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graff and said to his little grandson "I canfamily of Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. not rightly remember son, but I James Graff and family of Dal-las; Paulie Graff of West Virginia visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank to me and I hope it will be mean-W. Graff and daughter, Diana, ingful to you; that we all try to

during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Enloe and that someday our faults may be family spent the holidays visit- forgotten in our attributes: We ing relatives in Pampa and Pe- quote from Psalm: "Unto thee, O

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Bybee my God, I trust in thee: let me boys spent Christmas with not be ashamed, let not mine Mrs. Bybee's mother, Mrs. A. enemies triumph over me. 3. Yea, M. Wilson in Tulia, Texas.

Warren Atkins spent the holi- ashamed: let them be ashamed days in Brady visiting his family. which transgress without cause. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cunnngham 4. Show me thy ways O Lord; spent a few days during the teach me thy paths. 5. Lead me in Christmas holidays visiting Mr. thy truth, and teach me: for thou

Cunningham's family, Mr. and art the God of my salvation; on Mrs. Joe Cunningham Sr. in Dal-Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lynch at-

tended the Hondo-Stinnett football

thee do I wait all the day. 6. Remember, O Lord, thy tender

mercies and thy loving kindness-

es; for they have been ever of

old. 7. Remember not the sins of

my youth, nor my transgressions:

according to they mercy remem-

Shirrill Moehring, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moehring,

The refreshments and decora-

The children enjoyed pinning a

Sherrill's guests were Riva and

star on a Christmas tree and

playing other games.

and Lynette, Sherril's sister.

Pre-Inventory

Reductions

3 only, Hospoint Refrigerators, 8 cu

ft. deluxe model, 48-lb Freezer, fui width crisper, regularly priced,

\$229.95, until December 31, \$166.00

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ber thou me for the goodness'

game on Saturday in Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy House and family visited relatives in Ft. O Lord. "Happy New Year". Worth during the Christmas holi-

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Stanga attended the Hondo-Stinnett foot-ball game on Saturday in Sweet-

water. Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Tomerlin Honored At and Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Saathoff attended the Hondo-Stinnett football game on Saturday in Sweet-

**Party** water. Mrs. Joy Carter and children spent the holidays in Clinton, Okla. visiting her family. Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Whitten and celebrated her sixth birthday

family spent the holidays in Dec. 19 with a party. Amarillo visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Duncan tions carried out the Holiday

left December 20 to spent the holi-days in Florida. season and Sherrill opened her presents under the Xmas tree. days in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beard spent

the holidays in Tyler visiting Mr. Beard's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Noonan of Sherrill's guests were Riva and Utah visited M&M Epp Finger Brenda Koch, Clyde Schuehle.

and M&M Earl O'Neill during Teri Lynch, Myron Saathoff the Xmas holidays.

Cindy Schuehle, Bobby and Kathy the Xmas holidays. Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Upton and Fohn, Diane Schulte, Joyce Moeh

family spent the holidays in Santa ring, Lennis Ward,, Kathy Groff Anna visiting relatives.

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#### **Shower Honors** Mrs. Carl Richter

Mrs. Jack Mathis honored Mrs. Dec. 20, in her home.

guest for the honoree to read tonio Saturday evening. vhile in the hospital, Refresh-

Mesdames Charles Suehs Jr., J. Conrad, Clarence Bippert, ter, Karen, were San Antonio Jack Thornton, Tony Barros, Louis Hart Jr., Louis Hart Sr., noon. Charles V. Green, Wendell Griggs and the honoree, Mrs. Carl Richter and hostess, Mrs. Jack Mathis.

#### Miss Caudle, **Lynd Carter Are Married**

Miss Sylvia Caudle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caudie, Greenfield, Tenn., became the bride of Ernest Norton, had as their Lt. Lynd Carter, son of Mrs. R. A. Carter and the late R. A. Carter of Hondo, Dec. 23, 1956, at the First Baptist Church, Greenfield.

and is now attending the Univer- Clara. sity of Tennessee, Martin Branch. Lt. Carter is a graduate of Hon-Air Force pilot stationed at Stewart Air Force Base, Smyrna,

The couple arrived in Hondo Dec. 25 to spend a few days with can settle down and take a deep the holidays in Kerrville visiting Mrs. Carter and family. They will make their home in Murfrees-

#### LACOSTE NEWS

By Mrs. R. R. Koch (Delayed) M&M L. M. Pittman and chil

dren, L. M. Jr. and Joyette Faye, of Dunlay, M&M George Kunze M&M Eldrich Kunze, M&M Wil Carl Richter with a pink and fred Ahr and Miss Lena Geiger of Blue shower Thursday evening, here, attended the Ridgeway and Wetta Wedding reception at Letters were written by each the Moose Lodge Hall in San An-

Mrs. Reba Keller and sons ments of cake, nuts and coffee Leroy and Emmett, visited M&M were served to the following Raymond Schott at Rio Medina Sunday evening. Mrs. H. N. Jungman and daugh-

The senior homemaking class

from Natalia High School visited Mrs. A. W. Ahr Monday. Mrs. Allen Stein and daughters of Rio Medina, visited her mother, Mrs. Alvina Salzmann, Mon-

Mrs. R. D. Bippert, returned to her home last weekend after spending a few days in Seguin with M&M Clinton Bippert, and

guests Christmas Day, M&M Ferd Rothe, and children Laura and Louis, M&M Hilmer Bendele and children, Larry, Debbie and Bar-bara Ann, M&M Joe H. Balzen Miss Caudle was graduated and son Donald, and Armin Ben-from Dresden, Tenn. High School, dele Sr.

#### CORRECTION

A mistake appears in this week's Nester's Super Market advertisement. The line reads MARYLAND CLUB COF FEE, \$1.09 per pound. It should read MARYLAND CLUB COFFEE, \$1.02 per



Miss Sylvia Caudle



WOOD WOOD

#### RAINBOW THEATRE

CASTROVILLE Show Starts 7:30 p. m. Thursday; 7:30 p. m. Sat.; 5 p. m. Sun.

Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Dec. 29-30-31 THE KETTLES IN THE OZARKS Marjorie Main

THE BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG CinemaScope and Eastman Color

Thursday Only, Jan. 3 Robert Taylor and Richard Todd with Dana Wynter in D-DAY THE SIXTH OF JUNE CinemaScope and Color

## The Raye Theatre

MATINEE 2:00 P. M. — CONTINGOUS

Friday, Saturday, Dec. 28-29 THE VIRGINIAN Joel McCrea-Sonny Tufts

Sunday, Monday, Dec. 30-31 BEST THINGS IN LIFE ARE FREE

Monday, Dec. 31 at 10:45 NEW YEAR'S EVE LATE SHOW "HOT ROD GIRLS"

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Jan. 1-2-3 THESE WILDER YEARS

### PARK THEATRE

Seturday & Sunday Nights At 7:45 p. m.; Matines Sunday 2:00 p. m Saturday, Sunday, Jan. 5-6 "ROMANCE MUSICAL"



MR. AND MRS. J. CLEM REDUS, Devine, had all of their ten children together for the first time in 19 years recently. The entire family was present except for one son-in-law and three grandchildren. Pictured above are standing back row, left to right Mrs. Chas. Redus, Mrs. Clifford Redus and son, Mrs. Allen Ray Redus and son, Mrs. John C. Redus, Mrs. Bill Redus,

Jack Thornton, Mrs. DeWayne Redus, Mrs. George Redus and daughter; second row, Charlie Redus, Clifford Redus, Mildred Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Redus, John C. Redus, Bill Redus, Jean Thornton, Wayne Redus, George Redus and son. Grandchildren are seated on the floor.

## Contest Rules

- 1. Winning baby must be born in Medina
- 2. Parents must be residents of Medina County.
- 3. Exact time of birth must be specified by written statement by attending physician.
- 4. All applications must be received in this office by Jan. 2.
- 5. In the event of a tie, awards will be distributed at the discretion of a committee.
- 6. Parents of winning baby must apply in person for the various gifts listed here.

## Winning Baby

WILL RECEIVE

## A Free Gift

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-And will be shown a full line of Baby and Juvenile Furniture.

# Winning Baby

WILL RECEIVE

## Free Gift

FROM



Where Baby needs can be filled from a Complete Baby Department.

# Winning Baby

WILL RECEIVE

## Free Gitt

FROM

#### FLY DRUG STORE

WHOSE BABY DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE AT ALL TIMES.

## A Free Gift

IS WAITING FOR

## The Winning Baby

FROM

### WINDROW'S

Where we have a wonderful Baby Department

## Winning Baby

WILL RECEIVE

# Free Gift

HARDWARE

Where Baby can find Toys and Furniture his own size.

## Winning Baby

WILL RECEIVE

Free Gift

FROM

ULBRICH'S DEPT. STORE

Where Babies Are Our Special Customers.

PARENTS OF WINNING BABY WILL RECEIVE A FREE SUBSCRIPTION TO THE ANVIL HERALD

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H. B. Zachery succeeded him in that position. Then, the next Natalia resident, shot Jay while election. week, Walter Gunstream was his daughter looked on. named vice-president and general manager of TAI.

March 21. Sponsored by the Hon-for local fire insurance. do Lions Club, the clinic was physical of school children, but ed, leaving a shortage of three er. was held to catch the more seri-teachers in the Hondo schools. ous defects which might hinder a child in his studies.

The Hondo City Council voted tion. to extend the city limits in the northwest part of town, to include all Hondo citizens in an effort to all of he airfield that has build- keep polio from becoming an epiings on it and about half of the demc in this area. Six cases of

signed a petition which, when months. signed by 14 other county judges in the area, was to be the first step in getting a study made of this part of the country concerning the water situation,

Seven Texas A&M College journalism students were reported to be headed for Hondo to put out the April 6th issue of the Herald.

Mary Ruth Cameron was selected "Woman of the Year" by the Hondo Business and Professional Women's Club. Funeral service were held

March 30, 1956, for Mrs. Fletcher Davis, 76. Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Castroville experi e n c e d its heaviest voting since incorporation in an alderman's election during April, 1956. A percentage record of 235 votes were cast as Frank J. Keller, Thomas V. Hoog, and Bernard FitzSimon won their

The April sixth issue of the Anvil Herald was published by seven Texas A&M journalism students.

The National Guard Armory was dedicated April 14, 1956.

Sealed proposals from contractors were being accepted by the Hondo school system, to be pubicly opened and read May 1. The oids were for a new elementary school building.

Hondo experienced a heavy write-in vote on the school board election. Write-in votes jumped the total number of voters going to the polls, and 200 votes were cast in the last one hour and fifteen minutes before the polls

Spotty rains over the county brought up to 6.75 inches of rain

#### May

The big news during May was a rumor concerning the sale of Medina Lake. According to discussions going on at the time, land owners of the improvement district had been discussing the

H. H. Decker, member of the Hondo school board turned the first shovel of dirt at the sight of Hondo's elementary school build

Bob Nations was hired to run the Summer Recreation program

Program got underway during the crowd of 1,500 farmers attended first week in June when try-outs the one day exhibit. were held. Two leagues were run this year — a junior league, in- November included Carrizo cluding boys from the ages of 9 Springs, 13-0; Pearsall, 40-12; Dilthrough 12, and a senior league ley, 41-6; Blanco, 34-19; and Baswith boys from 13-15.

Medina County's first luxary hotel opened for business June sioners Court sponsored a water 2. Marcel Honigfeld, manager, meeting in Hondo Nov. 2. The presided over the open house at Castroville.

The South Texas Chamber of Commerce met and came up with a plan for the formation of the Edwards Underground Water Reservoir.

Texas Aviation Industries announced that they would again receive their contract renewal with

the Air Force. Hondo's Post office showed a

slump in receipts. The Anvil Herald started its 71st

year of publication. Hondo's city tax rate received a 10 cent hike to furnish water Mrs. Walter Andrews of Medford,

for the cemetery, pay for pipe to Oregon. the cemetery and maintenance. The Anvil Herald was one of 59 Texas newspapers winning in the 1956 Texas Newspaper Con-

tests. Winning second in column writing, third in news pictures and third in news writing, the Herald also placed second in the over-all sweepstakes contest of Division V, newspapers in towns of 2,500-5,000. July

The Hondo City Council extended the city limits one-half mile. The line then reached the Hondo south of 30th St. on the south and changed. The group snag Christto the railroad right-of-way on the north.

W. Lee (Pappy) O'Daniel arrived in Hendo and then left without giving his intended speech.

No one showed up for the talk! Hondo's key rate on fire insurance was and still is, running about 20 cents above that of other towns the same comparable The key rate is now 64 cents while Devine holds a 42 cents key rate.

Hondo Air Base celebrated their fifth anniversary during July. The Democratic Primary was

half away, the critical shortages of teachers existed, particularly in high schools. Hondo was short one first grade teacher, one fourth grade teacher, two sixth

| lock, Calif. resident, was shot to strong, voted their approval of ter's home Aug. 9. Willard Trull, to 1,516 majority in the Nov. 6th sillectomy.

ing the Democratic run-off elec-

#### September

Hondo pupils totaled 931 as school doors opened for the first day of the 1956-57 school year. Enrollment totaled 957 at Devine.

Medina County Democratic chairman Jim Duncan led a six man delegation from this state senatorial district to the Texas Democraic convention in Fort Worth Sept. 10 and 11.

Mayor O. A. Fly proclaimed Sept. 22 as Kids' Day in the Hondo community.

Hondo took its first football victory of the year during September, when they downed the Nixon Bobcats 25-12. Other wins during September included Del Rio, 21 -7 and Sabinal, 47-7.

A large crowd gathered at the Hondo school auditorium Sept. 26 to hear the viewing of an argument between the school board and private citizens over classes attending North Side Elementary

#### October

Football wins for Hondo during October were Uvalde, 35-7, Floresville, 41-6; and Devine,

Oct. 6, 1956, marked the beginning of Hondo's newest club the Hondo 60 plus club. It was a memorable day in the lives of more than 30 men and women, all of whom were Hondo residents in the early 1900s.

O. L. Moss, Hondo city secretary, represented the Chamber of Commerce at the annual meeting of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce in San Antonio. The E d wards Underground Water Conservation District was discus-

Calvin Hardt, Yancey resident, was elected president of the Medina County Farm Bureau.

The Medina County ASC office was advised that the \$1.50 per hundred allowable on grain in the emergency feed grain program

was in effect. Rainfall amounting to 2.09 inches fell in Medina County Oct. 19.

#### November

The Medina Electric Cooperative sponsored the South Texas Electric Pump Irrigation Exposi-The Summer Youth Baseball tion in Pearsall Nov. 9. A capacity

Football wins for Hondo during

trop, 34-14. The Medina County Commis-Edwards Underground Water

District was discussed. Medina County voters, 4,502

#### **Bradens** Announce

Christopher Dean, 8 lbs. 9 oz. was born Sunday, Dec. 16, 1956, to Lt. and Mrs. Joe Braden in San Antonio

He is the first grandchild of his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Braden. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and

#### Hondo HD Club **Holds Xmas Party**

The Hondo Home Demonstration Club held a family Christmas Party, Sunday, Dec. 16, at the New Fountain Community Recreation Hall.

After a covered dish supper was served, presents were exmas carols and then played several games.

#### Here in Hondo

M&M Paul Bybee, Larry and Sammy, went on from the Sweetwater game Friday night to Plainview and a visit with relatives. From there they went to Tulia to visit Mrs. Bybee's mother, Mrs. A. M. Wilson.

M&M C. B. Gasten and George spent Christmas weekend in north

Lt. Tommy Hollmig of Fort With the opening of public Bliss, is home on leave visiting schools less than a month and a his parents, the F. H. Hollmigs.

Lt. and Mrs. Thomas Bertsch are here from Fort Bliss spending a holiday leave with her par-

spend Christmas with her par-Hugh H. Jay, 59 year old Tur- ents, Judge and Mrs. D. H. Fly.

death on the porch of his daugh- President Eisenhower by a 2,668

An estimated 1,000 persons saw City officials met with a state the Hondo Air Base "Pooped medical. insurance representative during Fliers" and the Hondo Lions Miss Sofie Grell, Dec. 10, surgi-A medical detection clinic in all August in an effort to find out he Club "Laggin' Lions" battle to a cal. More than \$1,100 was collected

> Hondo FFA teams represented Area Leadership Contest in San Marcos. D'Hanis FFA members City officials issued warnings to won first place at the contest.

> > Two youths were apprenhended tomy,

Deer season opened Nov. 16 and Carl Anderson, Austin, brought in the first kill from Medina County.

speaker at the event.

A jury pronounced Willard Trull, confessed slayer of Hugh H. Jay, sane after Trull's attorney had plead insanity. He received 10 oz.

Owl football victories during 11, 6 lbs. 61/2 oz.

Probably the biggest news of December and maybe 1956 was Mrs. Robert Michael Groff, Dec. the Dec. 9 burning of the Natalia 14, 10 lbs. 6 oz. school building. Loss was estimated at \$150,000. Cause of the fire Frank Guedea, Dec. 14, 8 lbs. 4 oz. ed paper "promises to pay" until

a trailer house in Hondo Dec. 8 completed destroyed the trailer. The trailer was owned by 2nd Lt. jured in the accident, caused 7 lbs. 8 oz. when the water heater exploded. Lt. Wilson was in a separate Jose Maria Gutierrez, Dec. 18, deviousmess among the people to part of the house at the time of 6 lbs. 8 oz. the explosion.

teer firemen at LaCoste Dec. 5. 14 oz.

home of Wayland Worley Dec. 14. Riso, Dec. 21, 7 lbs. The family lost all of their personel belongings as well as fur- Francisco D. Reyes, Dec. 21, 6 niture and other valuable items. Ibs.

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#### HOSPITAL NEWS

Leroy Heiligman, Dec. 10, ton-

Mrs. Emma Weber, Dec. 11,

Esmeralda Alvarado, Dec. 16,

Rosa Campos, Dec. 16, medical. Mrs. Bob Zerr, Dec. 17, surgi-

Mrs. Raul Gonzales, Dec. 18, Pat Coyle, Dec. 18, appendec-

Mrs. Raymond Pargos, Dec. 20, Dora Santiellano, Dec. 19, medi-

Mrs. Joe Schmidt, Dec. 20, medical. Rene and Rodolfo Gonzales, Dec. 21, tonsillectomy. Josie Gonzales, Dec. 23, medi-

Mrs. Margarito Martinez, Dec. 23, surgical. Gloria Valdilles, Dec. 24, burns.

#### New Babies:

Richard Bruce, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Haines, Dec. 10, 9 lbs.

Duane Carter, to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gilmore McCartney, Dec. Marshall David, to Mr. and

Mrs. Raymond Charles Littleton, Dec. 11, 8 lbs. 41/2 oz. Lisa, to Mr. and Mrs. Feliciano Nelda, to Mr. and Mrs. Jose S.

championship title at Sweetwater. Ramirez, Dec. 12, 6 lbs. 51/2 oz. Robert Michael II. to Mr. and

An early morning explosion in I. Juarez, Dec. 17, 5 lbs. 7 oz. money has depreciated to an alseriously injured one person and Mrs. James O. Eaddy, Dec. 16, going steadily lower! 8 lbs. 101/4 oz.

Donald Wilson. His wife was in- Donald Linus Tschirhart, Dec. 17, dressing themselves to the proper

Brenda Kay, to Mr. and Mrs. Thirty men signed up as volun- Herman G. West, Dec. 18, 5 lbs.

ber. It was the first payment of Rebekah Lea, to Mr. and Mrs.

6 lbs. 3 oz. Elislo, to Mr. and Mrs. Jose Virginia R., to Mr. and Mrs.

## Fletcher Davis

TAKES A LOOK AT WHAT WE FACE

AS THE NEW YEAR DAWNS

FACING REALITY IN FIFTY-SEVEN

Nobody loves a pessimist! The fact that "every one has! Not content with this essay

feeling of aversion. be willing to listen to any one's home of which the "founding complaints with some measure of fathers" never dreamed, and

These somewhat dubious most indifferent! thoughts are superinduced by con-

at the beginning of this year 1957. of life that has taken nearly a Only by closing ones eyes and hundred years to formulate and mind to conditions comfronting enter upon an experiment that the world at this time can one can have no other eventuality avoid taking a pessimistic view of than the ultimate destruction of things as they are. The whole Eastern world, from

the Suez Canal to the Formosian strait, is a sizzling fuse that may at any time explode into the horrors of an atomic war the terrible consequences of which could be public service suffers and debts beyond the powers of imagination And our intermeddling in the

affairs of foreign countries could not fail to make us particeps criminis in any crimes of which our allies might become

And to plot some of the things now brewing is criminal in itself!

we are bankrupting our own country — piling up a public debt that can never be paid - under specious plea of "foreign aid" to people to whom we owe no special favors

While doing this, we have bur-Recardo, to Mr. and Mrs. ied our real money and substitut-Henry, to Mr. and Mrs. Felipe the purchasing power of our own way! Janet Elizabeth, to Mr. and most unbelievable low - and is In the meantime, our "trust-

Linda Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. ed statesmen," instead of adsolution of what ails us, introduce take heed of what portends ahead Rosalinda, to Mr. and Mrs. some of the wildest schemes of and as best we maycover their slimey trails of that is set before us"!

political spoils hunting.

troubles enough of his own" no at being our "brother's keeper" doubt contributes much to this to an ungrateful foreign people we are embracing Socialistic For that reason, we should all and Communistic practices at which should give pause to the

And to this confusion, the peoditions comfronting this old world ple are "ordered" to upset a way the racial integrity of our once proud ancestors.

At the state level, a once unite people are split into warring political factions and while the fight over the spoils of ofice, the both public and private, pile up toward bankrupting proportions seemingly unheeded by those trusted to shape the policies of government and guard the public

Even mother nature seems to have joined with the forces of evil in a headlong rush for the impending ruin.

The seven-years drouth is something heretofore unknown; it Not content to merely meddle touches every individual and is in affairs not rightfully our own, of all the ills that beset us, seemingly the furtherest from our ability to remedy! Pessimistic?

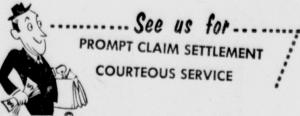
> But stern facts; not idle speculations

> Facts must be faced! And that is a fact that each of us must face - face in our

Some one has well said: 'He who does the best His circumstances will allow Does well, acts nobly; Angels could do no more!"

"Run with patience the race

Let us, at the beginning of 1957



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schools of Hondo was set for causes of Hondo's high key rate 24-24 tie on Barry Field Nov. 5. Six Hondo teachers resigned for the benefit game for Arthur medical. not held to include a complete their positions and five were hir-Gallucci, local high school teach-There were 2,149 votes cast dur- the Revaldina FFA District in an

Medina Lake underwent a selective fish kill.

polio had been discovered in the and two more sought after they County Judge Arthur Rothe city of Hondo in the past three entered the Castroville High School building on the night of

#### December

Jo Wood was chosen "Citizen of the Year" by the Hondo Chamber of Commerce, and presented at a Dec. 3 banquet. Judge Robert Lee Bobbitt was the main

25 years in the State Penitentiary one week later.

December were Hallettsville, 21-6; and Humble, 20-13. The Owls suffered their first scoreboard defeat in 27 games Dec. 22, when the Stinnett Rattlers took a 35-13 Corrla, Dec. 12, 7 lbs. 7 oz. victory for the State Class A

was undetermined.

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The local lodge, No. 756, A. F. & The polling place of said election A. M., is called to meet Friday will be at the V.F.W. Hall in La- ORDINANCE NO. 42 (Amended) Coste, Texas, and the following persons have been appointed of-Tondre, Associate Judge; and Francis Biediger, Clerk.

Issued on this the 8th day of December, 1956, pursuant to an Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 of Medina County Texas, on the 8th day of Decem

ber 1956. E. J. Keller Sr. President of the Board of Directors, Medina County Water Control and Imp. Dis.

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#### BIRY NEWS

By Mrs. Adolph Hutzler (Delayed)

Mrs. Ted Brownlee and Mrs. Alice Littleton were guests of

M&M Charley Bywaters from Devine, visited with M&M Louis Biry Sunday evening.

M&M Cornelius Fisher and children, Kenneth, Rosemary, Martha and Marcella of LaCoste, and M&M Clifford Hutzler of San Antonio, visited Sunday evening in the Adolph Hutzler home.

Claud Crawford of Devine, visited his uncle John and Aunt Julia ported his aunt, Dora Bennett, is able to get around again after a DIRECTORS OF THE MEDINA fall some months ago when she suffered a broken hip.

Sam Neil of San Antonio, killed a buck on the O. K. Schmidt spent Saturday and Sunday in Mrs. Jess Duncan, while Mrs. Ranch. He weighed 162 lbs., had Laredo with M&M Kenneth Overnine points and a 191/2 inch spread. Sam is 62 years young.

M&M Allen Kempf visited M&M Carol Shelton John Watson Tuesday evening. Adolph Hutzler home were M&M Honored At Party Dinner guests Sunday at the Otto Mann Jr. and children and M&M Lawrence Tschirhart and children of Big Foot.

M&M Chester Brown of San Antonio, visited Mrs. Brown's Sunday afternoon. father, Fred Biry recently.

Armin Charles Bendele, Francis and Kenny Schmidt were in until their successors are elected San Antonio for a Christmas Party Saturday night.

M&M Walter Etter and daughthe secretary of said district in ter, Denise, of LaCoste, M&M D'Hanis, Texas, not later than Alton Lutz and daughters, Linda and Nancy, of Hondo, were guests The polling place of said elec- at the home of M&M Paul Bention will be at the A. J. Finger dele when the Biry Home De-Bldg. in D'Hanis, Texas and the monstration Club members had following persons have been ap- their Christmas supper of turkey pointed officers of said election: and sausage. Bunco was played. Clements Finger, presiding Prizes were won by various mem-Lige, Erman J. Ney, Associ- bers of the club. Those present ate Judge; Clayton Nester, Clerk. were Mrs. Alfred Neuman and Issued on this the 5th day of Dec- children, M&M John Neuman, M&M Adolph Hutzler, David and passed by the Board of Directors of the Medina County Water Con-Schmidt, M&M Jimmy Rihn and trol and Improvement District sons, Mildred Iltis, Misses Irene No. 2, of Medina County, Texas, and Anita Hutzler, Misses Judy on the 4th day of December, 1956. and Lois Ann Rihn and the host and hostess for this year's party, M&M Paul Bendele.

M&M Joe Schmidt and son of Texas City are having their vacation during the Christmas holi-J. B. Nester, Secretary, Board of days. They came Sunday and will Directors, Medina County Water return home by the first of Janu-Control and Improvement District ary. Sunday, they visited the (3tc26) George Schmidts as did M&M George Schmidt Jr. and family of Hondo.

Tiney Love and Mrs. Alice Payette of Natalia, visited Mrs. Alice Littleton and brother, Hudy, Saturday evening, having had supper earlier with Louis Biry

M&M Charles Miller and family visited Sunday evening with M&M Ed Bader and family.

Chestley Love of San Antonio, visited his uncle, Louis Biry, one Mrs. Theresa Keller visited her

Improvement District No. 1 in Keller, in San Antonio last week. Mrs. J. A. Bendele was a patient a few days at the Medina Mrs. Frank Rihn was at Hondo

> Miss Judy Rihn, Miss Irene Hutzler and Miss Mildred Iltis spent the weekend with relatives here. Miss Iltis visited in the

M&M Buster McCulloch and children visited M&M John Watson last week.

Mrs. Marvin Haass, Mrs. Alvin Bader and Mrs. Randolph Haass were San Antonio Christmas shoppers last Tuesday.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 42, REGULATficers of said election: Rud. Bip- ING SPEED OF ELECTRIC, pert, Presiding Judge; Aelred DIESEL, GASOLINE, MOTOR AND STEAM LOCOMOTIVES AND TRAINS WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF HONDO, TEXAS: order passed by the Board of PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY Directors of the Medina County FOR VIOLATION THEREOF. (2tc27)

#### CARD OF THANKS

Louis Nietenhoefer and family wish to thank their many friends and relatives for their kindness and blood donations during the illness of Mr. Nietenhoefer. (1tp28)

We wish to express our sincer est thanks to the many friends and relatives for their many expressions of sympathy, flowers, cards and help. We especially wish to thank Rev. Windecker for the serices and the ladies for

The family of Josephine Wolff. (1tp28)

est thanks for the Mass and floral offerings given at the recent loss of our uncle. We especially wish to thank Rev. Leo Goertz, the St. Louis Society and Mrs. Hugo Haby, We are indeed comforted PHONE HA 6-2061 by your kindness.

The Nephew and niece's of the late Amon F. Haller (1tc28)

#### **Yancey News**

The highschool boys and girls

mas party at the recreation build-

ing Friday night. The group gave

their sponsor, Mrs. Phils Crain

The Yancey school had a Christ-

M&M Bill Walter's and family of

M&M Earl Huff and family of

Mrs. Lillie Ferguson of Moore,

spent several days last week with

Charles Heiligman visited her

Happy Birthday

Mrs. Clifton Schott, Dec. 30.

Darlene Boehme, Dec. 30.

Judy Leinweber, Dec. 30.

G. A. Masters, Dec. 31.

Gary Hutzler, Jan. 1.

Linda and Laura Moss (twins),

Mrs. Marlin Mechler, Dec. 30.

Larry Charles Boehle, Dec. 31.

Marvin B. Muennink, Jan. 1.

R. Edward Wurzbach, Jan. 2.

Mrs. E. H. Hartman, Jan. 2.

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Karen Sue Boehle, Jan. 2.

Cordell Bohlen, Jan. 2.

Beverly Muenink, Jan. 4.

children, the Bill Walters, in

San Antonio.

then went caroling.

a blouse.

By Mrs. Harrison Wilson

M&M Bill Garner, Lynn and street and son. Anne came in from Belton Thursday for the Christmas holidays had a party last Wednesday night

with the Buford Wilsons. M&M Rudolph Duncan are having their family Christmas dinner Monday - her sister and family, Mrs. Jack Tilly one day last M&M Woolen and boys from Joinerville, arrived Friday night and will have to leave Tuesday to be on "the job" Wednesday.

The J. N. Wilsons had their mas program Thursday night, family dinner and tree Sunday. with bags of fruit and candy for Those there were M&M Earl Berry and family of Kerrville, M&M Lawrence Wilson and fam-San Antonio, are out for the holiily of Somerset and M&M Willard days with her mother, Mrs. Char-Wilson and boy of Freer. les Heiligman, and grandmother,

The E. H. Johnsons left Friday Mrs Jess Duncan. for the weekend with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Johnson Sr. of Mart, returning Sunday Duncanville, and M&M Harry Watson Wednesday night. He re- night for Christmas with the Har-Meadows and family of San Antonio, are visiting Mrs. L. F. rison Wilsons. M&M W. A. Moore and boys left

Friday for Comfort for the holi-M&M Philo Crain and boys

M&M Morris Shelton honored their daughter, Carol Jean, with Dec. 30. a party on her ninth birthday,

Guests were Phyllis Wilson, Kathy Mims, Linda and Sandra Smith, Pam, Marsha, and Donnie Whitten, Claudia Gilliam, Karen Browning, Mary Moss, Diana Graff, Nelwyn Ward, Penny Strick land, Patricia Saathoff, and Mrs. Jack Sharp.

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Carol Jean was the recipient of

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#### Settlement News By Mrs. R. H. Bayer

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early Christmas dinner and those season. Her picture window has enjoying it were M&M Erwin Bie-been transformed into a fairyland diger, Kay and Vickie, M&M including a mill with a water John Schueh'e Jr. and daughter, wheel which actually turns and M&M Elmer Biediger and Shelia, pours off water. Ad Biediger, Raymond Biediger, M&M Bill Wengenroth and Den-M&M Lloyd Wengenroth, Wengenroth and Thelka Stiegler.

M&M Louis Mehr had an early bit. Christmas dinner with all of their children and grandchildren at home. They included M&M Eugene Jungman and family of Rt. M&M Wilford Hoffman and Jagge and daughter of Dunlay, M&M Webster Haby and son, M&M C. C. Tschirhart and son. Jimmy Burrell and daughter of front door.

M&M Forest Horecka spent Saturday with M&M J. M. Horecka and family and also had supper with them Christmas Eve.

M&M Rudolph Bayer, Carmen, Ralph, Dorthy and Carolyn Bendele visited with M&M Rudolph Posch Sunday and attended the Christmas program at the Luther an Church.



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### PERSONAL APPEARANCE

By Jerry June Berger

rodeos all the way from Madison enlisted about six months after

But GORDY has another 11/2

In just three more days, 1956

will be history and we'd like to

the happiest Texas New Year

The reminder: There are only

356 shopping days left 'til Christ-

mas, so take heed.

years to go before having his

Well, did you get all your here, but the two Marines in the thristmas shopping done? did — about 5 p.m. on Christmas DY, have been seeing a lot of We family, twins MORTY and GOR-Eve, and judging from the crowd in DAWSON'S, we'ds ay there country in between trips home. were quite a few last minute MORTY, just home from over-

small bundle either, as the con- the second semester of college. tents weighed almost 11 pounds. This new arrival's pop is one of America's best calf ropers,

We had a look at this husky signed up, the time had been exnewcomer and will make the pre- tended from a three year period diction that he'll be a chip off to a four year stretch. the old block, or maybe we should say, a string off the old rope. Anyway his chubby hands look like they are big enough to grasp wind up the year with a greeting a rope right now — at least a and a reminder.

We defy even a city dweller to ever. come up with a prettier home decoration than MRS. MILTON M&M Philip Haby gave an BATOT is displaying this holiday

It is fascinating to watch and we'd sit and stare at it except M&M Lloyd Wengenroth, M&M for the congestion. That corner Fred Carle, N i c k Haby, has almost needed someone to Russel Haby and sons, Claude direct traffic at night-time ever since MRS. BATOT opened the blinds covering the main exhi-

Her other decorations include a huge NOEL sign made from colored lights on cedar attached to their yard fence, an organist at family of Hondo, M&M Sterley the corner of the house with a tape-recorded musical background, and a red carpet leading from their lighted front gate up all of San Antonio and M&M the sidewalk to the ornamented

> Spectacular is about the best word we know to describe the place.

Only one sad facet appears on this many-sided scene and that is that the artist says this is her last year for the outdoor decoraing creations. Hondo will truly miss

One other lovely exhibit is being shown out in the huge entrance to the new Medina Elecric Co-Oprative building. Focal point is a large angel carved from a silver metallic substance. In the background is a quotation from the Bible. This is also well worth a drive out to have a look.

And Christmas wouldn't be complete without the annual influx of visitors.

Two of Hondo's most charming Christmas weekend guests graced the Sam Lanham home. They were the wives of the LANHAM boys, SAMMY and an early Christmas before going back to their homes in Waco for

The girls are brunettes, but JOAN (MIKE'S bride) is tall an graceful as a willow, while MIS-SY (MRS. SAMMY) is petite and dainty. Both are friendly and chatty. Yes sir, we'd say the LAN HAM boys did a'right for them selves. Come to think of it, so dir

The MIKE MECHLERS had all three of their children home fo Christmas for the first time hree years. Daughter PTGGY, student nurse at Seton Hospita

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#### Donald S. Koch **Arrives At Base**

Donald S. Koch, interior communic ations electrician third seas, has only one more month class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. to serve before completing his Robert A. Koch of 2202 Avenue The stork, not Santa, left a pre- three year enlistment and he M, Hondo, arrived at San Diego, Christmas package with the BUD hopes to leave Corpus Christi Calif., Dec. 3 aboard the destroy-GROFF family. It wasn't a Naval Air Base in time to enter er USS John W. Thomason after a tour of duty in the Far East.

#### having won top positions in military service behind him. He Navy Department Square Garden to the west coast. his brother and by the time he Promotes Reitzer

The Navy Department announced the promotion Nov. 16 of Thomas J. Reitzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reitzer of 1704 22nd St., Hondo, to interior communications electrician first class, USN, while serving aborad the holidays. class, USN, while serving abroad The greeting: Hope you have Shangri-La.

> The promotion followed successful completion of a Navy-wide petty officer examination conducted in August



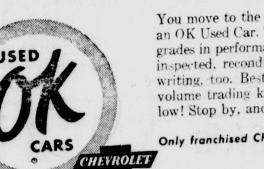
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#### Castroville News | Selia Garza Home

By Mrs. W. R. Griggs

M&M Asa McGregar of Milano, are visiting their granddaughter and family, M&M Harold Loewe and children.

Miss Helen Murrell of Mary Washington College, arrived home holidays with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Murrell.

M&M Henry Canty and Danny of Laredo, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, M&M Robert Tschirhart and Capt. and Mrs. D. J.

M&M Earl Shields, Jerry Lee, Patricia and David, of Gatebo, Okla., M&M Paul Hehensperger, Paula Marie and Robert of Roasevelt, Okla., are visitors in the home of W. R. Griggs over the Christmas holidays, Gave Griggs of the University of Texas, is also home with her parents.

Bill Fojtik entertained a group of friends with a Christmas social before going to Seeymore for

Those enjoying the occasion Sunday evening were Lt. and Mrs. Al Woalverton, M&M Otto Sittre, m9M&M Charles Green, M&M Henry Tschirhart, Melrose Biediger and M&M Wendell Griggs. The sixth grade class at Castroville sang carols for the rest home and gave shadow boxes to the

#### HERE IN HONDO

patients this week.

Lt. and Mrs. John Smitherman of Selma, Ala., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Smitherman's parents, M&M L F. Laake.

M&M Alfred Rohrbach spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter and family, M&M Seth Mitchell, in Baytown.



## For Christmas

Selia Garza has returned from her work at the Lighthouse in San Antonio to spend Christmas with her family in Castroville. She has been participating in various Sunday to spend the Christmas activities sponsored by the Lions Club and other organizations.

> She is now taking a vacation from her regular work, for which she received preparation at the state school for the blind, and at the special training center of the commission for the blind of

She will as usual have her party for her friends.

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SPEAKING

OF SPORTS

By Dr. John H. Jennings

going further in the State race counting on to produce for us than any Hondo eleven. That next fall.

#### Fast and Hard

The entire Stinnett club was year. very fast . . they blocked hard Johnny Windrow got our longtackled it was not just to break have been a pleasure to watch the mass contact either.

such a strong and fast opponent. near January 1st . . and we can They left no doubt that they are be assured that at least three the best team in the State and Owls (Alvin Hartman, Butch we are more than happy to be Woolls and Billy Neuman) will called the second best.

#### A Closer Outcome

It is possible that the Hondo forces would have been helped by Next week, we will give a runthe play of HB Butch Woolls and down of the season and some End Clyde Bohmfalk, However, statistics of the '56 Owls. not many of us would even specu- Next week will also be my last late of our winning from such a for the Anvil Herald. Some two club. With Woolls, and with the weeks ago I agreed to finish out Pearsall game spirit, we DO be- the football season as the job was lieve it would have been a whale getting a bit too much under preof a good ball game and would sent conditions. have given Stinnett about all it would have wanted.

The Rattlers opened holes in our It has been a long time comlines real quick, the backs shot ing, but as of last Monday, into the secondary, with unneed- Coach Tom Moseley started based blockers already there . . and ketball practice. A lot of fine with their speed, the long runs material will make up the Owl

#### Ball Control

last half as he and the Owls ran | should double this winter. 44 plays to only 14 for the ever trying Rattlers . . and don't

think Stinett did not want the ball. They probably would have liked to run up 60 points if they would have had the opportunity.

With such ball control tactics, the Owls played the last half even as both clubs scored 2 TDs each. In all, the Owls ran 73 plays to the Rattlers 36. It was our highest play total of the year and it HAD to be played that

#### **Bright Spots**

Hartman played himself a fine ball game and he certainly did of honor to our Eucharistic King, not hurt his All-State possibilities. and to render faithful and edify He completed 9 of 21 passes and ing service at the altar, and to did not exactly have time to eat enkindle greater piety in the cona sandwich before tossing. The gregation. Rattlers were always bearing During the school year, the year with 71 completions in 142 ings. Each boy received a certifiattempts for 1,389 yards for 16 cate and a medal denoting his daughter, Janice Forth, Mrs. El-TDs with only 4 interceptions for rank at the ceremony which took mer Jungman, Mrs. George the year! That's a record good place after the evening Mass, enough for anyone.

End Billy Neuman was certainly being well respected by Stin- quirements and were received Monday evening. nett but he still managed to get 5 into the organization by Rev. of the 9 pass completions for 54 Brian P. Crookes, with the folyards. Billy has been a hustling, lowing ranks: steady and outstanding performer all year.

of Billy Potsavich. The coaches Taylor, Bobby Zubberbueler and dona, visited here Wednesday say Billy has come on strong the Donnie Batot. past few weeks and he certainly showed it Saturday night. He ran Jones, Al Schiffers, Wayne Wendvery hard and refused to quit. land, Richard Rohrbach, Calvin Billy will be back next year and Mangold and John Tondre. he could make us a very good Page, Rickey Sowa, Rudy Procboy indeed. It is way premature, ter, Al Rath, Robt. Pope, Mike but Potsavich and Sidney Mer- Pope and Wayne Korbell.

The '56 Owls have the honor of cer, are two backs we will be

they were defeated 35 to 13 in End Butch Smith filled in for the finals is certainly no dis- the Clyde Bohmfalk and caught grace, for Stinnett had one of the two passes under difficult condibest high school teams we EVER tions for 27 yards. Butch has not saw Steinnett could hold their played a great deal this year and own with any club, regardless of it was asking a lot of him to step into this all important Sate Championship game. Big Butch should make us a fine end next

and quick . . and when they est run of the night . . a 9 yarder! Johnny twisted his ankle in the even. They looked and played, first quarter and had to come out by high school standards, ex- on occasions but showed good actly like Bud Wilkerson's Okla- drive when he carried into the homa football machines. If we pack of charging Rattlers. Ray had not been the victim, it would Highsmith did not back off from

The Texas Sportswriters Assoc. It was a shock to us all to find All-State team will come out rate anywhere from first team selections to Honorable Mention.

## Next Week My Last

#### Basketball Owls

squad, but with such a late start it will take a lot of fast hard work to catch up with the other clubs. The Owls did NOT lay down and More about the basketball Owls feet, the hall had a small decoratdie. They were behind 21 to 0 (and Owletts) next week . . you ed tree at the entrance with this and seemed to realize the only will want to see them in action. way to keep Stinnett from scor- Fan support picked up considing was to keep the ball. Big Alvin ably last year and with this fine Hartman did a fine Job in the group of boys, spectator interest

#### **Knights Form** Organization At St. John The Knights of the Altar Or-

ganization was established in St. John's Parish Dec. 19. The organization has a three-fold purpose - to form a worthy guard

him. Alvin finished the Knights meet on Friday morn-Dec. 19.

Twenty-one boys fulfilled the re-

Grand Knights, Rodney Freeman, Leo Lutz and Rickey Jones. One of the brighter things to Knight Commanders, Johnny H. N. Jungman and Karen Marie. happen, I thought, was the play Zerr, Ivan Stracener, Ronnie

Knight, Pete Ulbrich, Steve



MRS. JAKE SCHUEHLE brought in a ten point buck the other day, and seemed plenty proud of it. Mrs. Schuehle went hunting with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Manley, and was the only one who shot. Mrs. Manley got a 10 point buck recently.



CHARLES ZUBBERBUELER, Hondo, proudly displays his eight point buck killed 15 miles north of Hondo Dec. 20. Zubberbueler shot the deer with a .30-.30,

## Castroville Comets Honored At Banquet

Dec. 16 at Koenig Park Hall. Decorated in a Christmas af-

year's trophies under it

Honored guests, athletic board, pep squad and parents of the football players enjoyed a chicken supper before the program was opened by master of ceremonies Rev. David Meurer, assistant pastor of St. Louis Church. Rev. Leo Goertz, pastor, then gave the welcoming speech, followed by a talk and introduction of the back. team by Coach Harold Keller. Cocaptain Royce Groff then gave thanks to the coach and everyone director of athletics at St. Anwho helped make the Comet sea-son successful. Keller was pre-Awards of the South Texas Acasented a hat in appreciation of his work.

The pep squad presented L. D. Nuckles, pep squad director, with Royce Groff, back. Groff also was an electric shaver. Roselvn Keller, drum major, thanked Nuckles Texas Catholic Intersolastic Lea-

## LaCoste News

(Delayed)

Mrs. Joe Kauffman and grand-Kunze all of here, and Mrs. L. M. Pittman, of Dunlay, visited Mrs. Sally Bass at San Antonio

Mrs. A. W. Ahr was a business visitor in San Antonio Friday. Mrs. Jack Fitzpatrick and children, Tommy and Jacque, of Hondo, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mrs. Louisa Jungman of Mac

afternoon with Mrs. Reba Keller. M&M Ray Williams and Milton Salzmann and daughter, Donna Deene, were shopping in San An-

tonio Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Louis Huckle, of Rt. 9. San Antonio, and Mrs. John L. Zuercher of here, were visitors in San Antonio Friday.

M&M Bernard Rihn and Mrs. Jerome Rihn and children attended the funeral of Grandma Janis at East Bernard Tuesday.

Mrs. Helen Burrell of near Castroville, visited her mother. Mrs. Mary Jungman Sunday. Sunday dinner guests of M&M Wilfred Hutzler Sr. were M&M

Wheiles and daughters,

Carol Ann and Linda Lou, of San Mrs. Thomas Jungman and siser, Georgia Braden, of Hondo,

visited Miss Karen Jungman Miss Mary Palomares was a ousiness visitor in San Antonio

Wednesday. Ed Lagieder of San Antonio. visited briefly with M&M Alvis

Lagleder Monday. Mrs. Charles Bauerlein and Mrs. Alvina Saizman spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Milton Saizmann and children. M&M W. C. Riley of Lytle,

visited here with M&M A. W. Ahr one day last week, Wayne Ahr of San Antonio, Make ironing a pleasure instead of a

spent the weekend with his parents, MM A. W. Ahr. Mrs. Alvis Lagleder was shop ping in San Antonio Wednesday

#### Mrs. Mason Hurt By Pitching Horse

Mrs. C. L. Mason of Norton, Kansas, was injured when thrown from a horse Christmas morn-Mrs. Mason was visiting her

daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green of Castroville, at the time of the accident. She was released from the hospital after being x-rayed for broken bones and treated for other injuries.

feted with a football banquet winning the Academic League brothers, W. J. and Edwin, both Championship for the second consecutive year.

> rector, presented the trophy and Carle, both of D'Hanis; and two football jackets. The blue and white jackets have a three dimension letter "C" with a football championship emblem on the left sleeve and a baseball championship emblem on the right Guest speaker for the evening

high school football career this year. They are co-captain, Justin Jungman, Stephen Haby, Francis Lutz, Dennis Haby, Emil Zinsmever and Rodney Tschirhart. Manager Albert King, ineligible this year because of his age, also ended his career as does junior Charles Pettibon. who will be ineligible next year because of age.

#### Here In Hondo

The Rev. and Mrs. Harold Good enough, Cathleen and Ellen, spent Christmas Eve near Corous Christi visiting her parents. They returned early Christmas morn-

The Bill Berger kids had both their grandmothers here for Christmas, Mrs. W. G. Berger of Carthage, Ill., arrived in time for the big day and Mrs. W. E. Barnes of Waelder, came out Christmas Eve.

M&M Carl Malone and three little daughters were here for a

Hasey were Lt. and Mrs. Charles Bennett and son of Bryan. Mrs. Mary Francis Massena, Cemetery.

daughter of M&M Jean Ulbrich, Pallbearers were Arnold Ben-C. F. Schweers, Andrew Schvisited her mother and father-dele, Arnold Lindeburg, Henry weers, and M&M Charlie Sch-Gary, Ind. last week

was Rev. John Sokolski, O. M. I. demic League, on the first team, were given to Emil Zinsmeyer. tackle; Justin Jungman, end; and an honorable mention back on the

Action films of the football

Six senior boys ended their

## Mrs. Wolff Dies In SA Hospital

Josephine Elizabeth Wolff, nee Josephine Mussman, 50 years of age, died in a San Antonio hospital Saturday, Dec. 8, 1956, after a short illness.

Born March 10, 1906, she was a life-long resident of Medina County and was employed at Medina Hospital until her illness. Mrs. Wolff was preceeded in Wolff, March 12, 1954.

dren, John William, 15, and Dianna Sue, 7. She is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wil-Mussman; and two sisters, Mrs. Castroville Dec. 31, 1878. Adam Weynand and Mrs. Frank Lutz, all of Hondo.

and a lifelong member of St.

Paul's Lutheran Church. Pallbearers were Bobby Nester, Harold Lutz, Maurice Lutz, Milton Mechler, Clarence Wolff, years of his life. Tommy Droemer, Clarence Pingenot and David Wolff.

#### Services Held Dec. 13 For Alfred Nester

sons, Clayton and David, both of Castroville. D'Hanis; two daughters, Mrs. Amerlia N. Cowan, D'Hanis, and urday, Dec. 22, at 9:15 at the Ton-Leon Tschirhart, athletic di- Mrs. Tersa Zerr and Mrs. R. R. ville grandchildren, J. D. and Hubert man Jr., Raymond Sauter, Emil Nester.

of the Hondo Methodist Church, of the deceased. Honorary Pallofficiated in the ceremonies. Nes- bearers were Harley Haegelin, ter was a member of that church. Ben de Jorneo, Wilfred Tschirsleeve. Tops of the jackets are Pallbearers were Raymond Nes- hart, Harley Tschirhart and D. white leather shaped western ter, Lester Zerr, Bobbie Nester, Naegelin. style, and pointing down at the Richard Saathoff, Charles Saathoff and F. E. Aten. Interment was in W. O. W.

Cemetery, D'Hanis.

## Don Wilborn Service Held At Devine

day, Dec. 14, 1956, at 3 p.m. at in Austin Saturday afternoon and in the Saturday Review of Litera-First Baptist Church, for Donald journeyed to Luling to see the ture a couple of years ago, listed Punt Ave team and pep squad were shown Wilborn, 28, who died Wednesday Hondo team win over Humble these striking points about Asia: Rust nearly in Asia will go at Odessa. Rev. Don Rose officiated in the rites.

and Ricky Dale; his mother and Fredericksburg Thursday even-Mary Helen Craig, Dee Ann Wilborn all of Devine; three brothers, Bud Wilborn of Pearsall, Tom and Arthur Dale of Devine. Pallbearers were Lloyd

bins, Theron Sauage, Jerry Robbins, Don Lawrence, Ralph Solock and Richard Irvin

Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

## W. A. Folk Services Held Dec.

Funeral services were held ents. Dec. 1 for William August Folk. 77, following his death Nov. 29, Hartman, and M&M Richard

The oldest son of Fred and Christmas visit with M&M Wel. August Martin Folk, he was born and Mrs. Katie Muennink visited Meyer and family, Mrs. Dec. 20, 1878. His parents, four M&M Edgar Muennink and Malone will be remembered as sisters and two brothers preceed- daughters in Charlotte Saturday the former Miss Barbara Vaughn, ed him in death. He is surviv- asternoon.

Christmas visitors in the home ed by one sister, two brothers. of Mrs. Harley Eckhart and and several nieces and nephews. Rev. K. Windecker officiated in the rites. Burial was in Oakwood

in-law, M&M A. R. Massena, in Bendele, Paul Schott, Joe W. weers. Meyer and John Martin.

## Pre-Inventory Reductions

chore with a deluxe General Electric spent the weekend with his portion of the weekend with hi Rotary Ironer. This is the best GE model, sold for \$179.95, now, slight- Castroville FHA ly used, you can have it for \$66.00. Gives Xmas Dance

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# Jungman Dies At

Fred W. Jungman, Castroville, death by her husband, Ernest died at the age of 77 years, at his home Wednesday evening, She is survived by her two chil- Dec. 19, 1956, at 9 p.m., well fortified with the last sacraments of the Catholic Church. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter liam Mussman; brother, Arnold Jungman Sr., and was born in He and his brother, the late

S. A. Jungman, operated their re-Funeral services were held tired father's store under the Dec. 11 at 3 p.m. Interment was name of Jungman Brothers Merin the W. O. W. Cemetery with cantile. Later, he moved to a Rev. K. Windecker performing ranch with his family and engaged in farming and stock raising. Mrs. Wolff was a member of After some years, he retired and the Women's Missionary Society with his family moved back to Castroville. He took up residence near the St. Louis Catholic Church, where he attended Holy Mass frequently the remaining

Jungman was married in the St. Louis Catholic Church to Miss Rosalie Haby June, 1904. She was inseparable. One cannot live withthe youngest daughter of the out the other, and if either is delate Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Haby stroyed the other will die. His-Sr. of the Haby Settlement com- tory has demonstrated that many

Rosalie: two daughters, Mrs. threatened more seriously than at Josephine Bendele of San An- any time since the Roman per- Owl 49 and in four plays ran Josephine Bendele of San tonio, Mrs. Mathilda Iltis of La-secution of the Christians. Com- the score to 35 to 13. A 38 yard Coste; son, Fred S. Jungman of munist nations deny its teachings Funeral services were held Rio Medina, (one son died in in-Dec. 13, 1956, for Alfred Nester, fancy) twelve grandchildren and Christianity and communism D'Hanis farmer-rancher. Nester five great grandchildren; his sis- are as different as day and night; was born and reared at D'Hanis. ter and brother, Mrs. Annie Sau- as different as day and night, Born July 25, 1876, he was 80 ter of San Antonio and Alex E. ness. Communisim cannot domiyears 4 months and 16 days old Jungman of LaCoste. He was a nate the world unless Christianity at the time of his death. He is member of St. Louis Catholic is first destroyed. But Christiansurvived by his wife, Anna; two Society, and Sons of Hermann, ity is stronger than Communism, Funeral services were held Sat-

Lela R. Nester, Mexia; four dre Funeral Chapel, followed by a Requiem High Mass at St. Louis of Hondo, Martin of D'Hanis, and Catholic Church with the Rev. Hugo of Stillwater, Okla.; three Leo Goertz officiating. Burial was sisters, Mrs. Lena Crow, Houston, in St. Louis Cemetery in Castro-Pallbearers were Alex E. Jung-

Jungman, James Haby, Edwin Rev. Harold Godenough, pastor Haby, Henry Haby, all nephews

#### QUIHI NEWS By Mrs. Jack Sharp

(Delayed) M&M C. C. Cave and children the world consists of Asians, and 1st Downs

Bill and Beverly, were weekend nearly all of them know nothing Penetrations visitors of M&M John Rodgers in of the meaning of Christmas. Melvin. M&M Cave were for Contrast conditions in Asiatic tunate in seeing two football games Saturday. Both of their ern world and the differences are passes 9 of 21 teams won. They saw Brady, Funeral services were held Fritheir hometown, win over Sinton Saturday evening. Bill and Beverly remained in Melvin with to bed hungry tonight. Wilborn is survived by his wife, their grandparents. M&M Cave 2. Most people in Asia cannot Pearlene; two sons, Donnie Earl will pick up their children in father, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wil- ing. M&M Cave and their chilborn; sisters, Francis DuBose, dren leave Friday to spend the

holidays visiting in California. Mrs. Minnie Whetstone of Uvaide, was a brief visitor in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Gray. Mrs. Whestone was on her way to Houston to visit her brother, Jim Reeves, who suffered a heart attack Sunday morn-

M&M James Reitzer of Uvalde, were Sunday morning visitors of M&M Frank Muennink Wednesday evening visitors of

M&M Franklin Muennink were M&M Harold Hartman, M&M Tommy Timmerman and sons, and M&M Bob Thompson. MM Jay Hartman of Refugio

were weekend guests of their par-Sunday visitors of M&M Fritz

Lynch M&M Willie Hartman and John,

Willie Poehler was a Sunday

afternoon visitor in the home of M&M Willie Hartman. Sunday visitors in the home of M&M Jacob Schweers were M&M

M&M Mimke Wiemers of San Antonio, were Sunday afternoon visitors of M&M George Hart-

Sunday visitors of M&M Henry Loessberg were M&M Clarence Dailey and Danny. M&M Arthur Schulte and Lonnie and M&M Arthur Schlentz were Sunday evening visitors of

M&M George Hartman. Wilbur Lindeburg of Sul Ross.

The Castroville FHA honored the FFA Chapter with a formal Christmas Dance Friday, Dec. 21 at the high school. The FHA and FFA each invited dates. President, Mary Griggs and Bob

lights of the evening was the "officers dance" Refreshments of eggnog and cookies were served during the

grand march. One of the high

Owls . . .

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only way to defense the Stinnett yard pass. Hartman got the score on their 25 and went to work. line. It made the score 21 to 6 The Owls' longest gain of the with 5 minutes left in the third to Butch Smith who made a fine and courageous catch as he simultaneously received a jolting tackle. Two passes then went incomplete and Neuman punted. One of the Owls laid in a hard tackle and Potsavich, who was an Owl bright spot all night, recovered a fumble on the Stinnett 26 to set up Hondo's first score.

## This Week --In Washington By Clinton Davidson

One thousand nine hundred and fifty-six years ago this week Christ, the Son of God, was born in a manger in the small town of Bethlehem.

That is the most important date and event in the history of the Christian world. Fornearly 2,000 years, His teachings have been the most powerful force in raising, moral, cultural and economic standards of the world. Christianity and civilization are

times. Survivors include his wife Today the Christian religion is it 28 to 13.

The Russian dictators fear the church more than they fear the "capitalistic" system they rant against. In almost 40 years they have been unable to destroy the church in Russia. Christian churches are the most powerful anti-communist force in the world

Two-thirds of the people of the world do not believe in the Christian religion and do not follow the teachings of the Bible. For those people there is no Christmas, no worship of Him as our Lord.

More than a billion people are ruled by communists. In recent weeks we have been shocked by the misery, suffering and persecution in those communist-dominated countries. In those countries this Christmas hearts are filled with hate. Almost half of the population of

shocking. William D. Patterson, writing Oppo. Fumbles Rec. by 2

1. Most people in Asia will go Total Plays Run

3. Most people in Asia live in grinding poverty. 4. Most people in never seen a doctor.

ead or write

5. Most people in Asia have never heard of democracy. 6. Most people in Asia believe anything different would be better

the score. Ray Highsmith got 6, 2 and 1; Hartman got 3, 2, 2 and 1; Windrow got 1, Potsavich gave ball control since it appeared the 2 and Butch Smith took in a 7 It took the Owls 11 plays to get on a QB sneak from the 6 inch

Owls Hold

Stinnett took the kick-off and for the only time all night had to punt. They ran for 8 yards, then a 5 yard backfield-in-motion penalty, then two 2 yard gains forced a punt. The punt was short as it traveled only 15 yards, going out on the Stinnett 44. This marked the only time Stinnett was

The Owls took over on the 44 and plodded down to the 18 before running out of downs. In this drive, Hartman carried for 4, 8, 0; Highsmith 3 and 2; Windrow, 9. This ran out the clock in the third quarter as Hondo ran 25 plays to only 3 for Stinnett.

TDs. Stinnett held and took over on their 18. They got 7 and then 5 before Hicks broke loose for a 70 TD jaunt around the right side The score 28 to 6.

The Owls took the kick-off and went on a TD drive of their own It covered 52 yards in 14 plays, The longest gain was a 10 yard pass to Neuman, Hartman car ried for 6, three and three; Highsmith three and three; Potsavich 7 and 4; Windrow 3, 1, 2, 5 and then 1 for the TD. This made

run by Dawson set the score up on the 11.

after Stinnett ran four plays to the Owls 32 STINNETT

STINNETT 2. Keadle - 47 yards (81 yards n 2 plays 2nd qt.) STINNETT

STINNETT 5. Hicks - 70 yard run (82 yards in 3 plays 4th qt.)

Keadle - 1 yard (51 yards in 4 plays - 4th qt.)

Game Statistics

Passing Yards 4 for 24 1 for 15

Individual Record Carries Yds. Ave. Hartman 24 64 2.6 Windrow 11 33 3 10 29 2.9 Highsmith

smith 2, Windrow 1, Butch

HOT ROD GIRLS-That will be Dec. 31 at 10:45.





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# held for downs.

Three TDs The final quarter found three

Hondo could not move on the next series and the game ended

1. Hicks - 4 yards over right side, (54 yards in 11 plays lst quarter)

3. Dawson - 90 yard run 2nd 4. Hartman - 6 inch (QB sneak 26 yards in 11 plays 3rd qt.)

6. Windrow - 1 yard (52 yard drive in 14 plays 4th qt.) 28 to13. STINNETT

windrow - 1 of 2 conversions

Hondo Stinnet Rusing Yards

Potsavich First down carries: Hartman 6 Neuman 6, Potsavich 4, Highsmith 2, Windrow 1, Butch Smith First down carries: Hartman 6, Neuman 6, Potsavich 4, High-

than what they have. So, here in America where free-Smith 1. dom of worship is guaranteed, let us consecrate our energies and our lives to a strengthening of our faith in the teachings of Jesus the late show New Year's Eve Christ and to the defense of Chris- at the Raye Theater Monday, tianity throughout the world.

Bayer, and their dates, lead the